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I support transparency by all school districts, their faculty, and volunteers. Posting curriculum online for parents to access easily helps to hold schools accountable and breaks down barriers for those parents who have trouble finding time to get to the schools to review the curriculum. When I find my child is in need of assistance at home with their school work, and I need to understand what it is they are working on, I don't have time that evening to go to the school when they're not open to review the curriculum, but I can sit at my computer and go to the school website and look it up online. There are already issues in school districts with communicating with parents and families. Forms and other documents are already found on websites, making them easier for parents to access, fill out, and email back to the school. Placing curriculum online for parents to view falls in line with ease of use for parents. Not putting curriculum online for parents to access easily is just continuing to put up walls and barriers of communication between parents and ESD staff, and we're all supposed to have one common goal: our students' education. I support SB409.

Respectfully, R. Lasater